

Boulden-Thurlow House
CE-1063
Locust Point
Private

C. 1860-1880

An early 19th century Boulden family graveyard accompanies this two story two bay by one room house along Locust Point Rd. Due to various renovations and alterations the house has lost most of its historical architectural significance. The walls of the front two story main block are sufficiently thick to indicate log construction.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

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1 NAME

HISTORIC

Boulden-Thurlow House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Old Locust Point Road

CITY, TOWN

Chesapeake City

☒ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1

STATE

Elkton Maryland

COUNTY

Cecil

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT

☒ BUILDING(S)

☐ STRUCTURE

☐ SITE

☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS

☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED

☐ UNOCCUPIED

☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED

☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED

☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE

☐ COMMERCIAL

☐ EDUCATIONAL

☐ ENTERTAINMENT

☐ GOVERNMENT

☐ INDUSTRIAL

☐ MILITARY

☐ MUSEUM

☐ PARK

☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE

☐ RELIGIOUS

☐ SCIENTIFIC

☐ TRANSPORTATION

☐ OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Charles and Patricia Thurlow

Telephone #: 398-3128

STREET & NUMBER

105 Old Locust Point Road

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

☒ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland

21921

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the circuit Court

Liber #: WAS 212

Folio #: 266

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

21921

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CE-1063

CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT
☒ GOOD
☐ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED
☐ RUINS
☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☐ UNALTERED
☒ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Boulden-Thurlow House probably dates from the mid to late 19th century. The two story two bay by one room house could possibly be a log structure due to the thickness of the exterior walls. Extensive renovation and removal of most dateable elements leaves the structure in question. Its appearance on the 1877 county map and not on the earlier 1858 map points to a post 1858 date.

The house is located on Locust Point Road and faces south with an east/west gable orientation.

The two story front block has a rear ell addition and they both rest on a fully excavated fieldstone foundation. The entire structure which includes more recent shed additions is covered with vinyl siding and capped with a medium sloped composition tile gable roof.

The main facade has a central entrance and single pane sash windows. The gable ends have single pane sash and flank an interior end chimney stack. A kitchen wing extends northward with two story shed roof additions on either side.

The interior has been generally remodeled with knotty pine paneling. The basement does reveal a double sill system between the front and back sections which would indicate two periods of construction. All nails found in the basement were 19th century cut nails.

A mid 19th century barn is located north of the house along with a early 19th century graveyard with Boulden gravestones.

William Boulden	Died 1823
Margaret Boulden	Died 1832
Leah Boulden	Died 1823

The road used to pass between the house and barn but has been altered to pass in front of the house.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Boulden-ThurLOW House has lost a good deal of its architectural significance through various renovations. The structure is slightly significant in its possibility of log construction. The family graveyard is also a rare element on this property. As mentioned in the architectural description the house does not appear on the 1858 Martenet Map but does appear on the 1877 Lake, Griffing and Stevenson Atlas. George W. Boulden is listed on the patron list as owning 415 acres.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Paul B. Touart Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Cecil County Committee

DATE

5/20/80

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

TELEPHONE

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CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland 21921

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Thurlow House

Near Chesapeake City

Geoffrey Henry 3/85



BOULDEN - THURLOW HOUSE

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SOUTH ELEVATION

NEAR

PEEL

ELKTON, MD.

10/79

R13T

NEG. M11T

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